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ALLIANCE CHURCH

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Introduction to Ephesians, 7/23/23
Pastor Ron Raymer

Introduction to Ephesians

Ephesians 1:1-

Introduction: This letter was written by the Apostle Paul to believers in the church at Ephesus, (now western Turkey), and probably other Christians in western Asia Minor, around 60 A.D. Paul summarizes the gospel of salvation by grace through faith alone and describes the nature and role of the church in God's eternal plan.

I. His greeting. Eph 1:1-2

- A. Paul's credentials- An Apostle
- B. Who he's addressing- The saints.
- C. By whose authority is he speaking to the church- The Father and Son.

II. Blessings in the heavenly realms with every Spiritual blessing in Christ.

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- A. The heavenly realms are where our blessings come from.
- B. Through our union with Christ, we have been made beneficiaries of every spiritual blessing.
- C. As our blessings come "down" from heaven we need to be "upward" minded in seeking after them.
- D. "Spiritual" blessings are different than physical blessings.
- E. Things like forgiveness, adoption, pardon, transformation, redemption, illumination of the Spirit, etc...
- F. We are blessed with "every" spiritual blessing in Christ.

Conclusion: While Jesus walked the earth and we were still in our sin we were banned from the heavenly places. But after Jesus took the punishment for our sins, ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of our Heavenly Father, we have full citizenship! (Phil 3:20)

(prayed over by the elders)

Prayer Requests

7/23/23



July 23, 2023



Greenview Alliance Church

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Helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone, for kids age 4-5th grade, will be dismissed during the service after the Children's Message. All Children's Ministry workers have clearances on file with the church.

Pastor Ron will lead us in prayer.

The worship team will be leading the following songs: [10,000 Reasons](#), [A Thousand Hallelujahs](#), [Great I Am](#), and [Surrender](#).

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

See Church Center App for our Event Calendar

9:30am Sunday Worship Service



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Announcements

Second Offering for July

Please pray about what you can give to our building fund during the month of July!

Operation All Hands on Deck



We need your help! We need the entire Greenview family to rally during these final weeks of summer to make progress in our home building. No experience required and all volunteers must be 18+ years old. Use this link or QR Code to sign up: <https://bit.ly/GVAallhandsondeck> We will be in touch with you to indicate when you are needed.

Raise the Roof Sandwich Sale from Jiffy Market

We are inviting all GVA friends to help raise funds now or in future projects. Grab a sandwich order form or print it from the email sent on July 6. You can sell now through July 29th. All forms and money are due on July 30th or before. Drop off at Oak Grove before or after service. If you want to order sandwiches only (not to sell), see any participating congregant. If you prefer to donate instead of selling/buying, deposit your contribution in a tithe envelope marked for the building fund!

Deliverance Training with Dr. Rob Reimer



from Alliance Theological Seminary, author of Soul Care, and founder of Renewal International. This online workshop will be offered at Oak Grove on August 4th from 6:30pm - 9:00pm and August 5th from 9:00am - 4:30pm. The \$75 ticket can be purchased at the link below. A financial scholarship is available to those who have that need. Lunch will be provided. QUESTIONS?

Contact Mike Council at gaffermc@comcast.net and text to 570-651-0212

Youth Theatre

2 weeks left to sign up! FLN will run a theater camp from August 7th-11th for kiddos between the ages of 8-15 at Oak Grove. Register now at <https://www.greenviewalliance.com/>



For more information email the office at greenviewalliance@comcast.net or call 570-433-4506



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- Please tell us if you're
- a 1st Time Guest
 - a Returning Guest
 - a Regular Attendee

- NEXT Steps:**
- I would like to be a follower of Jesus.
 - I am interested in becoming a member Greenview Alliance Church.
 - I recommitted my life to Jesus today
 - I am interested in being baptized
 - I would like my baby dedicated

Name: _____

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Address: _____

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Change in contact information